

# CECONOMY finds sustainable solution for MediaMarkt Greece

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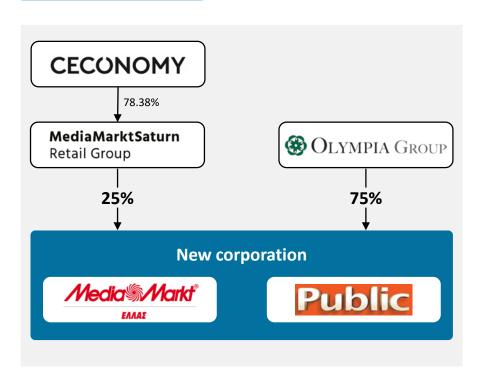
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### CECONOMY's majority shareholding MediaMarktSaturn and Olympia Group create a new company with a 25%/75% shareholding in Greece

#### **Target structure**



#### **Highlights**

- CECONOMY's majority shareholding
  MediaMarktSaturn and Olympia Group have signed a deal to create a new company in Greece and Cyprus
- Transfer of entire Greek MediaMarkt retail business as contribution in kind
- Olympia to contribute Greek CE and entertainment retailer Public covering the Greek & Cypriot market
- Continuation of MediaMarkt and Public store network under their respective brands
- Timing of closing depending on merger control clearance, most likely in FY 2019/20

### We have found a sustainable solution for our Greek MediaMarkt activities and gain an immediate scale advantage

#### Further optimizing CECONOMY's portfolio

In line with "Lead or Leave" principle

Eliminating operational losses

#### **Combining strengths to unlock synergies**

- Optimizing assortment and supplier approach
- Optimizing costs from systems alignment

#### Closing the gap to the market leader

- With an estimated share of c. 14%¹ at eye level with the market leader
- Enabling future-oriented positioning in the Greek & Cypriot market

#### Participating in a solid business case

- Business plan with positive contribution
- Preferred option with minimized funding requirement

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Indicative shares based on publicly available information and own estimates based on own market intelligence.

### Public is the preferred partner with a proven track record in local market adaptation and growth





6% market share<sup>1</sup> (4<sup>th</sup> rank)



Sales of 186 €m in FY 2017/18



Underperforming, but **positive momentum** 



Home appliances, TVs and Services



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12 stores and 1 online shop







8% market share<sup>1</sup> (3<sup>rd</sup> rank)



Sales of 256 €m in FY 2018



**Profitable** business



Technology and entertainment



**#1 omnichannel retailer:** 55 stores in 2 countries, 2 online shops

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### We stop our operational losses and participate in a profitable new company with further upside potential

## Low to mid single-digit €m

Savings from elimination of operational losses

### Low single-digit €m

Expected at-equity contribution run-rate as of 2022

#### **Financial implications**

- Deconsolidation from CECONOMY's consolidated financial accounts
- Elimination of operational losses as part of "reorganization and efficiency program"
- 25% stake recognized and disclosed as at-equity investment at fair value at closing date
- Positive EBIT effect of c.20-35 €m in FY 2019/20¹ expected due to deconsolidation of Greek business and first-time recognition of 25% stake as part of "reorganization and efficiency program"
- Synergies to be realized mainly by leveraging scale and optimizing the assortment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Depending on merger control clearance.

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